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OKLAHOMA NEWS NOTES

Ponca City is blessed with an inexhaustible supply of pure water.

Mayor J. E. Biffle of Pauls Valley has announced for re-election.

J. E. Biffle, present mayor of Pauls Valley, is a candidate to succeed himself.

J. E. Walton has announced as a candidate for postmaster at Wapauka.

The "Georgetown Drummer" is a publication being issued by Albert J. Nicklass at Sacred Heart.

Prospects are bright for an interurban line from Nowata to Coffeyville, Kans., within the near future.

Street railway improvements to be made at an estimated cost of at least \$60,000, are to be made at Tulsa.

The inclement weather has caused serious delay in paving and sewerage improvements under way at Coalgate.

The Unca oil district northeast of Ponca City is attracting attention and experts say it has a promising future. Drilling is under way in that section now.

Reports from all sections of the state are to the effect the farmers are busily engaged in plowing their fields and preparing for a bumper crop this year.

"Cameron Industrialist" is the name of a new publication started at the Cameron Agricultural school at Lawton. R. K. Robertson, head of the college, is editor in chief of the publication.

There seems to be much oil and gas activities in Norman and Cleveland county these days and all available land is being leased. Drilling may be expected there in the near future.

At a rousing meeting of the Commercial club at Tulsa, attended by oil men, producers, operators and citizens in general, the club went on record as opposed to the proposed 3 per cent tax on oil.

Farmers along the route of the college agricultural special train are receiving much beneficial information and will profit much as a result of the train's visit.

There is a probability that one or more test oil wells will be drilled in the vicinity of Blanchard, Cleveland county, representatives of three oil and gas companies being in that section now securing leases.

By unanimous vote of the city council, an election was called for March 18 at Durant, for the purpose of voting on the issuance of \$5,000 worth of bonds for the extension of the sewer and water systems.

Hobart will soon have a new water works system, work on the same being rushed with all possible speed. It is stated water will be turned into the reservoir by March 1, and the system will be ready for service by that time.

Several of Lawton's citizens were deprived of their overcoats by officials from Fort Sill. The coats taken from the citizens were the regulation army overcoats, and are not supposed to be worn by anyone not enlisted in the army.

The plant of the Stigler Light and Power company has been sold at sheriff's sale for \$16,000. Joseph Ward, president of the Border City Ice and Cold Storage company of Fort Smith, was the successful bidder. The plant was sold under a mortgage foreclosure.

The new Carnegie library building at Bartlesville has been completed and an informal housewarming was held.

The Missouri, Kansas & Texas railway is arranging to have all trains from southern division dispatched by telephone instead of telegraph.

The \$150,000 bonds voted at the election in Muskogee on December 17 for the purpose of buying a lot for park purposes, will be offered for sale by the city council on February 11.

Durant may receive the Denison-Durant interurban line as a Christmas present, the announcement being made that if the road is built, the work will be done this year. The contract for a survey of the right of way has already been awarded.

The Commercial Club of Tulsa has adopted a resolution favoring the early establishment at that point of a steamboat landing. J. J. Barman has announced his intention of constructing a boat to be operated on the Arkansas river between Muskogee and Tulsa.

BACKACHE IS DISCOURAGING



Backache makes life a burden. Headaches, dizzy spells and distressing urinary disorders are a constant trial. Take warning! Suspect kidney trouble. Look about for a good kidney remedy.

Learn from one who has found relief from the same suffering.

Get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Lee had.

A Texas Case
J. H. Lee, 618 W. Walnut St., Cleburne, Tex., says: "Four years I endured misery from a bad back. Morphine was my only relief. I had terrible pains in my back and it was hard for me to pass the kidney secretions. Doan's Kidney Pills cured me quickly, and I have been well ever since."

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WHY THE MEAL WAS HALTED

Nothing Seriously Wrong, but Old Gentleman Had Some Trouble With the Elusive Onion.

An aged country couple, on the urgent invitation of a grandson who lived in the city, were on for a visit. The grandson's wife was very anxious that the first meal should be one which the aged couple would enjoy after their long ride in the train, and accordingly the table groaned under its burden of good things to eat.

In the course of the repast she noticed several times that the old man seemed to be making little progress with the meal.

"What is the matter, grandfather?" she asked, "don't you like my dinner?"

"No, no, granddaughter," mumbled the old man, "it isn't that. Only I've a pickled onion in my mouth, and I haven't got but one tooth left, so it's harder'n Sam Hill to catch it, it's so lively. Just rest easy a spell till I git a holt on it and I'll be all right!"

Not a Complaint.

"Miss Brown," said the art inspector, pausing before a student's easel, "you might with all propriety worship that drawing of yours."

The poorest pupil in the class looked up, surprised and pleased.

"I'm so glad you like it, sir. But why—why—"

"The Bible expressly commands us not to worship the likeness of anything in the heavens above or in the earth beneath, does it not?"

Accounted For.

"Why is it so few women look well in a steamer cap?"

"I guess because it is a handy cap."

In order to be a social favorite a man may be a cheerful liar.

COFFEE THRESHED HER.

15 Long Years.

"For over fifteen years," writes a patient, hopeful little ill woman, "while a coffee drinker, I suffered from Spinal Irritation and Nervous trouble. I was treated by good physicians, but did not get much relief."

"I never suspected that coffee might be aggravating by condition. (Tea is just as injurious, because it contains caffeine, the same drug found in coffee.) I was down-hearted and discouraged, but prayed daily that I might find something to help me."

"Several years ago, while at a friend's house I drank a cup of Postum and though I had never tasted anything more delicious."

"From that time on I used Postum instead of coffee and soon began to improve in health, so that now I can walk half a dozen blocks or more with ease, and do many other things that I never thought I would be able to do again in this world."

"My appetite is good, I sleep well and find life is worth living. A lady of my acquaintance said she did not like Postum, it was so weak and tasteless."

"I explained to her the difference when it is made right—boiled according to directions. She was glad to know this because coffee did not agree with her. Now her folks say they expect to use Postum the rest of their lives." Name given upon request. Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

"Postum now comes in concentrated, powder form, called Instant Postum. It is prepared by stirring a level teaspoonful in a cup of hot water, adding sugar to taste, and enough cream to bring the color to golden brown."

Instant Postum is convenient; there's no waste; and the flavor is always uniform. Sold by grocers—45c to 50-cup tin 30 cts., 90 to 100-cup tin 50 cts.

A 5-cup trial tin mailed for grocer's name and 2-cent stamp for postage. Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., Battle Creek, Mich.—Adv.

SIX-YEAR TERM IS DEBATED

SENATOR BRISTOW'S RECALL OF PRESIDENTS IS VOTED DOWN.

BULL MOOSERS AFRAID OF IT

Amendments Are Offered Thick and Fast in The General Discussion.

—Various Schemes are Offered.

Washington.—Presidential terms ranging all the way from two to six years; prohibitions against second and third terms; exemptions that would effect Roosevelt, Taft and Wilson, and proposals for the recall and the direct popular election of presidents, were thrust into the senate in rapid succession during the first day's consideration of the constitutional amendment limiting a president to a single term of six years.

In a session filled with lively debate, Senator Bristow's proposal that a president could be recalled at any regular election, was voted down, 58 to 10, and Senator Hoke Smith's amendment to make the single term four years instead of six was defeated 42 to 25.

Senators Dixon and Poindexter, progressives, Bristow, progressive-republican, and Lodge, republican, led the fight against a restriction of the presidential term. Senator Williams, democrat, proposed a four-year term with the privilege of re-election once, but his amendment was so drawn as to prevent Colonel Roosevelt from seeking another election.

The defeat of the Bristow amendment for recall of the president followed a short debate in which Senator Bristow urged that to make the federal administration properly responsive to public demand the people should have the right to change the president when they change congress. The vote on the recall amendment mustered ten votes only in its favor, the following senators voting for it:

Bristow, Clapp, Dixon, Gronna and Poindexter, progressives and republicans; Martine, Owen, Ashurst, Perkey and Thomas democrats.

The candidacies of Roosevelt, Wilson, Bryan and Taft figured in the fight throughout the day. Senator Borah said President Taft had not used the power of his office for his own reelection in 1912 to any greater extent than President Roosevelt had used it in 1908 or the election of Mr. Taft.

Senator Dixon's charge that single six-year terms were desired chiefly by ambitious aspirants or the presidency and the declaration of Senators Bristow and Poindexter that this proposed limitation would be destructive of American principles of government, made up the burden of the progressive fight against the resolution.

Senator Bristow declared the people should be free to choose their own presidents and to re-elect a president when they believed it wise. He declared the constitution should include a recall provision so that when congress is overthrown because an administration is not satisfactory, the people also could recall the president and establish a new administration throughout.

CARNEGIE SCOUTS

BATTLESHIP NEED

Declares That The Floating Flotilla For Canal Would Rust in Idleness.

New York.—Characterizing as "madness" Colonel Goethals' "latest and most startling estimate of no less than 25,000 soldiers," as necessary to guard the Panama canal, Andrew Carnegie, speaking as presiding officer at the annual meeting of the New York peace society, urged against military and naval increases.

Not one of the three additional battleships demanded, if built, "in all probability will ever fire a shot against a foe, but they will rust in idleness—\$45,000,000 needlessly squandered," Mr. Carnegie declared.

John Barrett, director general of the Pan-American union, discussed this country's responsibility in Latin America. He predicted a great growth in trade with Latin America after the opening of the Panama canal.

EMBARRASSING.



"Well, my little man, do you know what an oath is?"

"Yes, sir; I was your golf caddy for a whole week last summer."

SUFFERED FOR 25 YEARS.

Mr. R. M. Fleener, R. F. D. 39, Otterbein, Ind., writes: "I had been a sufferer from Kidney Trouble for about 25 years. I finally got so bad that I had to quit work, and doctors failed to do me any good. I kept getting worse all the time, and at last turned to inflammation of the bladder, and I had given up all hope, when one day I received your little booklet advertising your pills, and resolved to try them. I did, and took only two boxes, and I am now sound and well. I regard my cure as remarkable. I can recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills to any one who is suffering from Kidney Trouble as I was." Write to Mr. Fleener about this wonderful remedy.

Dodd's Kidney Pills, 50c. per box at your dealer or Dodd's Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Write for Household Hints, also music of National Anthem (English and German words) and recipes for dainty dishes. All 3 sent free. Adv.

Higher Up.

"I suppose you have tried motoring, Judge?" he asked.

"No, I have not," replied the Judge.

"But I have tried a lot of people who have."—Pathfinder.

It takes more than a soft answer to turn away the book agent.

After Long Suffering

Women Are Constantly Being Restored to Health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"Worth mountains of gold," says one woman. Another says, "I would not give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for all the other medicines for women in the world." Still another writes, "I should like to have the merits of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound thrown on the sky with a searchlight so that all suffering women could read and be convinced that there *is* a remedy for their ills."

We could fill a newspaper ten times the size of this with such quotations taken from the letters we have received from grateful women whose health has been restored and suffering banished by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Why has Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound accomplished such a universal success? Why has it lived and thrived and kept on doing its glorious work among the sick women of the world for more than 30 years?

Simply and surely because of its sterling worth. The reason no other medicine has ever approached its success is plainly and simply because there is no other medicine so good for women's ills.

Here are two letters that just came to the writer's desk—only two of thousands, but both tell a comforting story to every suffering woman who will read them—and be guided by them.

FROM MRS. D. H. BROWN.

Iola, Kansas.—"During the Change of Life I was sick for two years. Before I took your medicine I could not bear the weight of my clothes and was bloated very badly. I doctored with three doctors but they did me no good. They said nature must have its way. My sister advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I purchased a bottle. Before it was gone the bloating left me and I was not so sore. I continued taking it until I had taken 12 bottles. Now I am stronger than I have been for years and can do all my work, even the washing. Your medicine is worth its weight in gold. I cannot praise it enough. I more women would take your medicine there would be more healthy women. You may use this letter for the good of others."—Mrs. D. H. Brown, 800 North Walnut Street, Iola, Kan.

MRS. WILLIAMS SAYS:

Elkhart, Ind.—"I suffered for 14 years from organic inflammation, female weakness, pain and irregularities. The pains in my sides were increased by walking or standing on my feet and I had such awful bearing down feelings, was depressed in spirits and became thin and pale with dull, heavy eyes. I had six doctors from whom I received only temporary relief. I decided to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a fair trial and also the Sanative Wash. I have now used the remedies for four months and cannot express my thanks for what they have done for me."—Mrs. SADIE WILLIAMS, 455 James Street, Elkhart, Indiana.



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